MR. K. MAHOMED (*Alwaye*) : Will the Government be pleased to enquire whether the actual distance is not more than four miles ?

PRESIDENT : If the member who furnishes that information makes himself responsible for the statement, the Director will enquire into it.

MR. PACODE A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Vilavankod*) : May I know the name of the Headmistress ?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*) : Miss Clara Manuel, I believe.

MR. PACODE A. NARAYANA PILLAI (*Vilavankod*) : May I know how long she had been at Edappalli ?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASHEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*): I claim notice, Sir.

Nethancodu Primary School.

450. ***MR. A. EASWARA PILLAI** (*Kalkulam II*) : Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) whether the incomplete Primary School at Nethancodu in the Kalkulam taluk is a special school for advancement of primary education among the backward Krishnavaka community ;

(*b*) whether the people constructed the school building and entrusted Government with the site and the building ;

(*c*) when the school building was handed over to them and when it was built ;

(*d*) whether the annual maintenance is being done ;

(*e*) whether the building is in a fit condition ;

(*f*) whether there is accommodation for more classes ;

(*g*) whether it was at any time a complete Primary School ; and

(*h*) whether there is sufficient number of pupils now undergoing instruction in the two classes ?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*)

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The school building was handed over to Government in 1096; it was built in 1091.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) No.

(*f*) Yes.

(*g*) Yes.

(*h*) Yes.

MR. A. EASWARA PILLAI (*Kalkulam II*) : May I know whether it is the P. W. D. or the Education Department that does the maintenance work ?

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*) : The Education Department.

MR. A. EASWARA PILLAI (*Kalkulam II*) : With reference to part (*e*), may I know the defect of the building ?

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MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag. Director of Public Instruction*) : There are several cracks in the wall.

MR. K. R. ELENKATH (*Kalkulam I*) : May I know whether any allotment has been made for the maintenance of this school next year ? It was said the other day that the Director draws up a scheme annually for the maintenance of particular schools ? I would like to know whether this school has been included in the scheme for the year 1112.

MR. C. V. CHANDRASEKHARAN (*Ag : Director of Public Instruction*) : The scheme contains a long list of schools. I am not sure whether this school is included in the list.

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